



Cooperstown Bible Camp

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Dear CBC Families,

Fall is just about over and the holidays are upon us. Soon, many of you will be planning your family get togethers and festivities. That is one thing I love about holidays; they bring people together. Whether it is families flying in from long distances, long drives to Grandma and Grandpa's house, or friends who haven't seen each other in a long time.

I love this season because it allows me to reminisce about the families and campers God has brought to this camp over this last year. There were families who had never heard of or attended CBC for family camp and retreats. There were children who had never attended Summer Camp yet came for the first time this year. Then there were those who have grown up coming here every year, joining us for fellowship, worship, and great Bible teaching.

One camper who attended this past year had never attended CBC, let alone a camp before. Shy as she was, she was able to hear the Gospel presented to her at night chapel. I remember her counselor informing me after hearing the Gospel presented for two nights, she finally received Christ as her Savior. She began to ask many questions about what's next and how she is supposed to grow as a Christian. What an opportunity for both the camper and our counselor to express the need of the Gospel and to walk with her into discipleship!

Moments like these happen quite often in this type of ministry setting. Why is that? Is it because of the great camp food? Is it because of the nicely cut lawn? Is it because we have top-of-the-line programming? I think those are beneficial, but not the main reason. I believe it is because we have an army of people who pray and financially support this ministry. I get to hear from families who say, "we're praying for your staff and for your campers." I receive notes of encouragement to share with our team. After receiving donations that mention, "Please use where God is wanting you to use" and watching the return on your financial investment, it really pulls at my heart.

I have mentioned in the past that it takes quite a bit for us to run Cooperstown Bible Camp. We are just about at the end of the year and need to finish strong so we can start 2024 even stronger. Remember, this ministry exists because you are financially supporting it! Would you prayerfully consider financially partnering with CBC in a year end gift? This gift would be tax deductible if given or postmarked before December 31st.

It takes around \$105,468 on average each quarter to keep this ministry running:

Food—\$12,500

Property maintenance—\$28,544

Staff—\$27,696

Programming—\$13,814

General Operating—\$5,462

Office and IT—\$6,809

Marketing and Public Relations—\$3,334

Utilities—\$7,309

Three Months = \$105,468

(The above represents the average quarterly expenses ... with the exception of the Summer Staffing expense of \$49,500)

Would you prayerfully consider your year-end gift and financially partnering with Cooperstown Bible Camp?

In His Service,



Adam Glombowski
Executive Director

"All to the Glory of God"
1 Corinthians 10:31

Cooperstown Bible Camp

MAKE
JESUS
KNOWN!

YEAR-END GIVING CHALLENGE

OUR GOAL

\$100,000

\$50,000

\$10,000

How it Works

For five weeks, CBC is challenging our givers to reach a goal of \$100,000 by the end of 2023. Send your year-end gifts by December 31st. Your gift is tax deductible. Help us reach our goal by the end of the year!

2023 Theme:

"Kingdom Investment" is the theme for this year's 5 week giving challenge. Gary Benedict, President of Crown College and Christian and Ministry Alliance says it best; "There is no greater investment in kingdom dollars than camp ministry." What can you give towards Kingdom Investment? We would love for you to partner with us to reach our goal this year.

